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OCT. 8 DEADLINE
FOR OVERSEAS STUDY
SIGN-UP AT UNIVERSITY

MISSOULA--

University of Montana graduate students and seniors have until Oct. 8 to apply at UM for the scholarships made available by foreign donors and by the U.S. Government under the Fulbright-Hays Act for overseas study during the 1972-73 academic year.

Full grants provide all expenses, including round-trip transportation, tuition and maintenance to any one of 29 countries. Two other types of grants also are available-- U.S. travel grants to 12 countries and maintenance and tuition awards to 14 nations.

General eligibility requirements include citizenship at the time of application, a bachelor's degree or its equivalent, adequate language ability, good academic record and good health. Preference is given to applicants between 20 and 35 years of age. Except for certain specific awards, an applicant may not hold or expect to receive a doctoral degree before the beginning of a grant.

Mrs. Joan Birch, Fulbright program adviser in the UM Department of Foreign Languages, said seniors and graduate students interested in the study abroad programs should contact her immediately in room 215, Turner Hall, or by phoning 243-4396. Applications are available at her office.

A student who has a year or more academic background in a foreign language, including French, German, Italian or Spanish, "has a good chance" of getting a grant to a particular foreign country, Mrs. Birch said.

The following numbers of full grants are available in the countries listed--France, 12; Belgium and Luxembourg, 6; Germany, 80; Austria, 25; Italy, 28; Spain, 10. Thirty grants also are available to five Latin-American countries.

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